Friday 24 March to Saturday 25 March 2023

Archbishop Wulfstan and his Anglo-Saxon World

Two-day historical conference with internationally renowned experts

In 2023 we commemorate the 1000th anniversary of the death of Wulfstan, Bishop of Worcester (1002-16), Archbishop of York (1002-23), and revered uncle of St Wulfstan (1062-95).

Join us for two unique days of learning about Archbishop Wulfstan and the Anglo-Saxon world in which he lived.

Archbishop Wulfstan was one of the most powerful bishops in the history of Worcester Cathedral. He was a major player in the turbulent politics of the reign of King Æthelred the Unready and King Cnut.

Eight internationally known scholars will speak about Wulfstan's life, writings, political influence, and the crucial role he played in the early history of Worcester.

The lectures will be held in the historic setting of the Old Palace, once the residence of the Bishops of Worcester. One of the oldest buildings in the city, it has hosted royalty through the ages.



Speakers include:
Prof Katy Cubitt,
Prof Andrew Rabin,
Dr Tom Hall,
Prof Winfried Rudolf,
Dr Charles Insley,
Prof Francesca Tinti,
Dr Samuel Holmes and
Prof Sarah Hamilton

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Tickets for the conference cost £160.00 per person for the two days, including eight lectures, tea, coffee and a light lunch each day, a tour of the Cathedral and/or a tour of the Mediaeval Library with its manuscript treasures, a short dramatic recitation of highlights of Wulfstan's preaching and an evening reception with drinks and canapes.

The conference dinner can also be booked at an additional cost of £35.00 per person.

For further information and how to book email: **events@worcestercathedral.org.uk** or visit our website: **www.worcestercathedral.co.uk/wulfstan**



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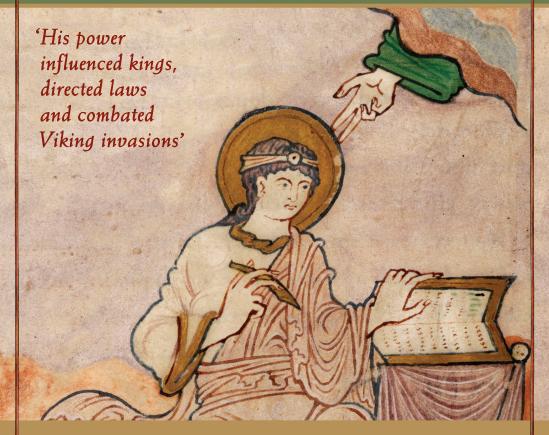


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All lectures are in the Abbots Kitchen of the Old Palace, Deansway, Worcester, within Worcester Cathedral precincts.











Friday 24 March

Morning:

Wulfstan and his World

9am - 10.15am Prof Katy Cubitt, University of East Anglia including Q&A A Shepherd and a Wolf: Wulfstan and his Times

10.15am - 10.45am Tea/coffee served in the Great Hall

10.45am - 12pm Prof Andrew Rabin, University of Louisville

including Q&A Law, Politics, and the Fate of Kings in Wulfstan's England

12pm - 2pm A light lunch in the Great Hall

Opportunity for tours of the Cathedral or Mediaeval Library

Afternoon:

8pm

Wulfstan and his Church

2pm - 3.15pm Dr Tom Hall, University of Göttingen including Q&A *Wulfstan: The Pastor and his Flock*

3.15pm - 3.45pm Tea/coffee served in the Great Hall

3.45pm - 5pm Prof Winfried Rudolf, University of Göttingen

including Q&A Wulfstan as Author and Reviser

5.30pm Choral Evensong, in the Cathedral

6.30pm Conference drinks reception on the Cathedral Nave Crossing

Conference dinner

Served in the Cathedral Chapter house (booked separately)

Saturday 25 March

Morning:

Wulfstan and his Worcester

9am - 10.15am Dr Charles Insley, University of Manchester

including Q&A Wulfstan and the West Midlands

10.15am - 10.45am Tea/coffee served in the Great Hall

10.45am - 12pm Prof Francesca Tinti,

including Q&A Ikerbasque/Basque Foundation for Science Wulfstan and documentary culture at Worcester:

Putting writing in context

12pm - 2pm A light lunch in the Great Hall

Opportunity for tours of the Cathedral or Mediaeval Library

Afternoon:

Wulfstan and his Work

1.45pm - 3pm Dr Samuel Holmes, University of East Anglia including Q&A *What Makes a Manuscript a 'Wulfstan Manuscript'?*

3pm - 3.30pm Tea/coffee served in the Great Hall

3.30pm - 4.45pm Prof Sarah Hamilton, University of Exeter including Q&A The Good Shepherd: Wulfstan's Efforts to Educate

His Diocesan Clergy

4.45pm Close, The Dean and Prof Andrew Rabin

5.30pm Choral Evensong, in the Cathedral

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